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1. POST CONCURS WITH DEPT'S PLANNED REPLY TO SAKOVICH (REFTEL C). EMBOFF DURING PREVIOUS MEETINGS WITH GOSKONTSERT HAD ALREADY SO INFORMED THEM (REFTEL A).

2. FOR DEPARTMENT'S INFORMATION, EMBASSY UNABLE TO ABSORB LARGE RUBLE FOR DOLLAR EXCHANGE TO FACILITATE DOP PRESENTATION IN SOVIET UNION. SUCH FACILITATION FOR HOLIDAY ON ICE EARLIER THIS YEAR (REFTELS D AND E) LEFT EMBASSY WITH EXCESS OF RUBLES WHICH STILL UNCOMFORTABLE FACT OF LIFE HERE. RUBLE EXCHANGE IS VALUABLE EMBASSY ASSET FOR ENCOURAGING PAGS TO ACCEPT GOSKONTSERT INVITATIONS OUTSIDE THE AGREEMENT BUT LIKELY MAGNITUDE OF DOP RECEIPTS COULD CREATE MORE RUBLES THAN EMBASSY COULD USE IN TWO YEARS.
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